

**ENTERED**

August 17, 2017

David J. Bradley, Clerk

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS  
HOUSTON DIVISION

BAMBI WILLIAMS,

Plaintiff,

VS.

WILLIAM MARSH RICE UNIVERSITY,

Defendant.

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CIVIL ACTION NO. 4:14-CV-3005

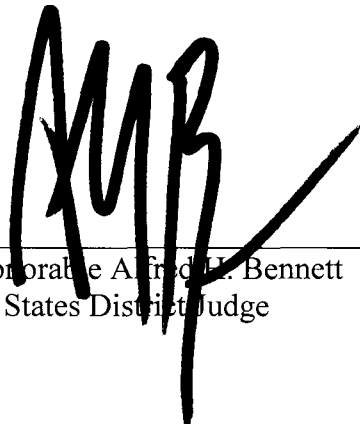
**ORDER**

As detailed on the record at this Court's August 16, 2017 hearing, this case is HEREBY DISMISSED under Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 41(b) for the Plaintiff's failure to prosecute the case. From February 17, 2016 to July 5, 2017, Plaintiff failed to file a single notice or motion on the record. Further, Plaintiff failed to appear at both the July 21, 2017 Initial Conference, and the August 16, 2017 Status Conference set to give Plaintiff an opportunity to explain her absence at the July 21, 2017 Initial Conference. Based on Plaintiff's failure to prosecute outlined above, dismissal is appropriate.

It is so ORDERED.

**AUG 17 2017**

Date

  
The Honorable Alfred H. Bennett  
United States District Judge